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1. FOLLOWING IS COMPLETE REVISED SCHEDULE INCLUDING LATEST CHANGES. FOLLOWING SCHEDULE ARE VARIOUS NOTES AND POINTS FOR DEPARTMENT ACTION:

2. FEBRUARY 19

15:50 - ARRIVE BRASILIA (AIR BASE), MILITARY HONORS. ARRIVAL STATEMENT. PROCEED DIRECTLY TO ITAMARATY.

17:00 - INITIAL APPOINTMENT WITH FOREIGN MINISTER SILVEIRA.

18:30 - RETURN TO HOTEL.

21:00 - BLACK TIE DINNER AT ITAMARATY HOSTED BY FOREIGN MINISTER AND MRS. SILVEIRA.

FEBRUARY 20

0935 - MEET STAFF AT EMBASSY

10:00 - MEETING WITH PRESIDENT GEISEL IN PALACIO DO PLANALTO.

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11:00 - MEETING WITH CHIEF OF PRESIDENT'S CIVIL CABINET
GOLBERY IN PALACIO DO PLANALTO.

12:00 - MEETING WITH FOREIGN MINISTER SILVEIRA, ITAMARATY .

13:15 - LUNCHEON, ITAMARATY.

16:00 - CALL ON PRESIDENT OF CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES, FEDERAL CONGRESS.

16:20 - CALL ON PRESIDENT OF SENATE, FEDERAL CONGRESS.

16:40 - CALL ON PRESIDENT OF SUPREME FEDERAL TRIBUNAL,
STF BUILDING.

17:00 - MEETING WITH MINISTER OF FINANCE SIMONSEN AND
PLANNING SECRETARIAT CHIEF REIS VELLOSO AT
PLANALTO PALACE.

18:30 - RETURN TO HOTEL.

20:30 - RECEPTION AT RESIDENCE HOSTED BY SECRETARY FOR
FOREIGN MINISTER AND MRS. SILVEIRA (SEATED DINNER
FOR PRINCIPAL GUESTS AT ABOUT 21:30).

FEBRUARY 21

09:30 - MEET WITH FOREIGN MINISTER IN ITAMARATY AUDITORIUM
TO SIGN MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AND RELEASE
JOINT COMMUNIQUE.

10:00 POINT PRESS CONFERENCE WITH FOREIGN MINISTER,

ITAMARATY AUDITORIUM.

11:00 - DEPARTURE FOR RIO FROM BRASILIA AIR BASE.

12:30 - ARRIVE RIO (GALEAO AIR BASE).

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14:10 - DEPARTURE FOR BOGOTA.

3. NOTE THAT EARLY FEBRUARY 20 MEETING WITH OTHER THREE
ECONOMIC MINISTERS HAS BEEN CANCELED PURSUANT WASHINGTON REQUEST.
ITAMARATY PROTOCOL CHIEF EXPLAINED THAT TWO OF THEM (SEVERO GOMES
AND PAULINELLI) WOULD BE OUT OF TOWN IN AFTERNOON, AND
THAT IT "POLITICALLY IMPOSSIBLE" TO ADD ONLY
THE THIRD (UEKI) TO THE AFTERNOON MEETING. THESE THREE MINISTERS,

HOWEVER, WILL BE AT THE ITAMARATY DINNER AND POSSIBLY WORKING LUNCHEON.

4. NOW THAT THE FIRST SCHEDULED MEETING ON FEBRUARY 20 IS AT 10:00, EMBASSY WOULD LIKE TO RECOMMEND THAT THE SECRETARY MAKE A BRIEF STOP AT EMBASSY TO MEET WITH STAFF AT THAT TIME INSTEAD OF EVENING. LEAVING HOTEL AT 9:30 WOULD ENABLE HIM TO DO THIS AND GO ON TO HIS 10:00 MEETING WITH PRESIDENT GEISEL. THIS WOULD GIVE SECRETARY MORE TIME IN EVENING.

5. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NORMAL PRACTICE, ITAMARATY IS PUTTING OFFICIAL "AT THE DISPOSITION" OF THE SECRETARY. HE IS MINISTER ORLANDO SOARES CARBONAR, CHIEF OF CABINET OF THE FOREIGN MINISTER'S SECRETARY GENERAL. HE WILL ATTEND ALL MEETINGS.

6. WE NEED, PARTICULARLY FOR THE MEETING WITH PRESIDENT GEISEL, THE NAMES OF THOSE VISITORS THE SECRETARY WANTS TO BE AT EACH OCCASION, INCLUDING NOT ONLY THE OFFICIAL MEETINGS BUT ALSO THE BLACK-TIE DINNER THURSDAY NIGHT, THE LUNCHEON FRIDAY, AND THE RECEPTION FRIDAY EVENING. ENTIRE OFFICIAL PARTY WILL OF COURSE BE INVITED TO AL THREE OF THESE SOCIAL FUNCTIONS, BUT THERE MAY ALSO BE POSSIBILITY OF A FEW FROM STAFF.

7. WE WOULD APPRECIATE THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE INDICATION OF ANY PLANS MADE FOR TIO.
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